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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/743,985

Art Unit: 1754

Applicant : Serge KALIAGUINE; Andre VAN NESTE

Filed : April 9, 2001

Examiner: Steven J. Bos

Title : PROCESS FOR SYNTHESIZING METAL OXIDES AND METAL OXIDES HAVING A PEROVSKITE OR PEROVSKITE-LIKE CRYSTAL STRUCTURE

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 28, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Claim Amendments are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page **12** of this paper.